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Re: **Interstate Common Line Support**
Annual Certification Filing
CC Docket No. 96-45

This is to certify that OTZ Telephone Cooperative, Inc. will use its **Interstate Common Line Support** only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area listed below:

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
OTZ Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Alaska	613019

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check this box.) ☐

[Signature]
[Signature of Authorized Representative]

Date: 6-28-05

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Subject: RE: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service -- Docket 96-45

Dear The Federal Communications Commission:

Congratulations on your appointment to Chair the FCC. In your new leadership role, I urge you to support the "Fair Share Plan" as a solution to current concerns with the Universal Service Fund (USF). The Fair Share Plan will keep the USF fair, ensuring that consumers like me do not pay the same rate into the USF as big businesses, regardless of how little I may use long distance.

The Keep USF Fair Coalition submitted the Fair Share Plan to the FCC on January 31, 2005. It expands who pays into the USF so that other technologies - not just phones - pay into the system. The Fair Share Plan collects the USF using a combination numbers- and revenue-based plan. This keeps the system fair, equitable and non-discriminatory.

Under the flat fee or numbers-based plan you are considering, people like me who make few long distance calls would pay the same as people or businesses that make many calls. I believe it would be unfair to charge low-volume and residential customers the same fees as high-volume residential or business customers.

I urge you to keep the USF fair, and adopt the Fair Share Plan. Thank you, and best of luck in your new position.

cc: Marlene Dortch, Secretary

Sincerely,

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✓ Representative John Mica

✓ Senator Bill Nelson

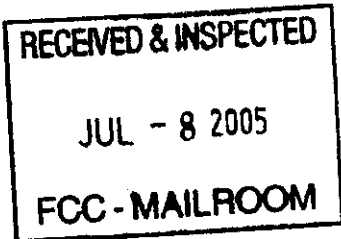
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